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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Jean-Claude ENGELAERE

Application No.: 09/574,836

Filed: May 19, 2000

RESEALABLE PACKAGING THE

CONTAINER OF WHICH INCLUDES A TEARABLE WELDING LAYER, AND ITS

MANUFACTURE

Group Art Unit: 1772

Examiner: B. Egan

Atty. Docket No.: 10493-004-999

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

August 26, 2002

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated April 25, 2002, be extended for a period of 1 month from July 25, 2002 to and including August 26, 2002, August 25, 2002 being a Sunday.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$110. Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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